



Response Under 37 CFR 1.116  
Expedited Procedure  
Examining Group 1631

PATENTS  
Attorney Docket No. B8/B8 CIP DIV4

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

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AND PROCESSES FOR PRODUCING HUMAN  
FIBROBLAST INTERFERON-LIKE POLYPEPTIDES  
Group Art Unit : 1631  
Examiner : James Martinell  
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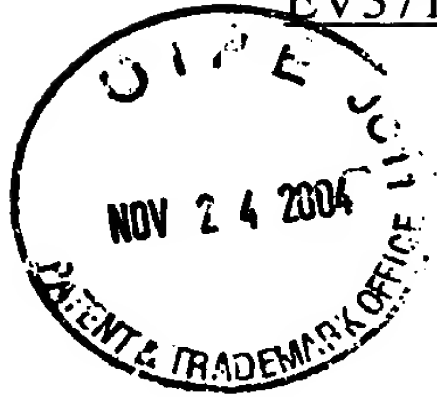
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Transmittal Letter (in duplicate);  
Reply to Final Office Action;  
Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for Extension of Time (in duplicate);  
Notice of Appeal (in duplicate);  
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: [X] a Reply to Final Office Action; [X] Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for Extension of Time (in duplicate); [X] Notice of Appeal; [X] Two checks in the amounts of (i) \$490.00, and (ii) \$170.00; [X] Express Mail Certification; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

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The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	- 20	= 0	X \$9	= \$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	- 3	= 0	X \$44	= \$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			+ \$150	= \$ 0.00
TOTAL				<u>\$ 0.00</u>

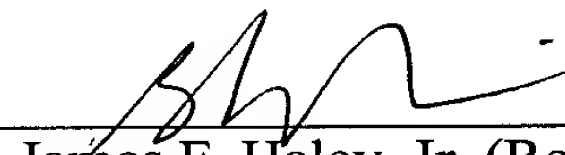
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☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.

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## EXTENSION FEE

- [X] The following extension is applicable to the Response filed herewith; [ ] \$55.00 extension fee for response within first month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [ ] \$215.00 extension fee for response within second month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [X] \$490.00 extension fee for response within third month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [ ] \$765.00 extension fee for response within fourth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a); [ ] \$1,040.00 extension fee for response within fifth month pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
- [X] A check in the amount of [ ] \$55.00; [ ] \$215.00; [X] \$490.00; [ ] \$765.00; [ ] \$1,040.00 in payment of the extension fee is transmitted herewith.
- [X] The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 in connection with the paper(s) transmitted herewith, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
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